



## Planning and Development

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(214) 948-4480

### Emergency Release Policy

The following will be considered emergencies warranting a power release prior to inspection:

- Vehicular damage
- Storm damage
- Fire damage
- Meter damage

This is not an all-encompassing list and no guarantee of a release without inspection is assumed. Some services are too large or complicated for this allowance, and it will be at the discretion of the inspector.

A licensed contractor registered with the City of Dallas will be required to make the power release request, and the structure in question will have to be occupied or temporarily vacant due to the outage. The registered electrical contractor will be required to obtain an electrical permit prior to or the next working day of the repair and request the inspection.

During business hours Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. - release requests will be sent to the appropriate district office for processing. The same policy as above shall apply.

Outside of business hours, Monday through Friday from 4:31 P.M. until 10:00 p.m., or Saturday, Sunday and holidays from 8:00 a.m. until 10:00 p.m. - releases will be made through the Electrical Chief's office directly via the electrical contractor contacting the Chief or Assistant Chief at the following:

Trey Kneggs  
O: 214-948-4466  
C: 972-896-8072  
Albin.kneggs@dallas.gov

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O: 214-948-4472  
C: 214-546-1996  
Michael.anguiano@dallas.gov

Releases requested outside of normal business hours via the Electrical Chiefs office will incur a \$50.00 fee assessed to the permit.

An electrical release that requires an electrical inspector for a same day inspection will be obtained from the appropriate district office with a fee of \$250.00. Same day fees shall be paid for each inspection request between 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. before the inspection is made.

An electrical release that requires an electrical inspector for an afterhours inspection or weekends has a fee of \$125.00 per hour with a minimum charge of \$300.00, and shall be paid between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. before the inspection is made.

Set-up releases request will be sent to the appropriate field inspector or senior inspector for review and processing.

Trey Kneggs  
Chief Electrical Inspector  
City of Dallas